

Messner and Neblett to Head Athletic Club For New Term

John Messner, former Notre Dame athlete and fiery J block all-round performer was elected to the presidency of the Greenbelt Athletic Club at their meeting held last Tuesday.

Bill Neblett, who was nosed out by Messner for President by a narrow margin, was unanimously elected Vice President. The following other officers were named: Secretary, Eddie Trumble; Treasurer, Marvin Smoot; Custodian, A. E. Allen; Block representatives, B block - Lester Sanders, C Block - Charles Williams, D Block - George Bauer, E Block - W. M. Donahue. The President, Vice President and Block Representatives comprise the Athletic Board of Control. All officers were elected for a period of one year.

Lou Little Accepts G. A. C. Dinner Bid; Columbia Coach Here April 10

Definite assurance was received by the Greenbelt Athletic Club last week that Lou Little, Director of Athletics and head football coach, would be on hand for the first annual club dinner which will be given in the school auditorium, April 10.

The entertainment committee, headed by Dick Green, is busily engaged with preparations for this outstanding event. Tickets, which will be priced at \$1.50, will be placed on sale in the near future in Greenbelt and Washington. Due to the presence of Little and other prominent sports figures, a large number of out of town people are expected to attend. Further announcements will be shortly forthcoming concerning other invited guests and entertainment features.

Mr. Taylor Killed by Auto

Greenbelt's first accident fatality occurred Monday, February 20 at 4:30 P.M., when Mr. Charles Taylor, father of Mrs. O.F. McGoldrick was hit, and instantly killed, by an automobile driven by Edwin Miller, an employee of the City of Greenbelt, while crossing Edmonston road.

A resident of Greenbelt, who saw Mr. Taylor walking home, stopped and offered him a ride. Mr. Taylor crossed the road to enter the car and evidently failed to see another car coming toward him from the opposite direction.

Officer George Panagoulis, who was the first representative of the law to arrive at the scene, stated that, in his opinion the accident was unavoidable.

Mr. Taylor was 76 years of age and was well known in Greenbelt.

Frank Evans Will Address Inter-Faith Rally in Auditorium

At an inter-faith meeting to be held in the school auditorium Sunday evening, February 26, at 8:30 P.M., Mr. Frank Evans, President of the Eastern States Mission of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints and prominent authority on the law of farming cooperatives and cooperative marketing, will be the speaker.

Mr. Evans, who is a member of the Utah Bar, has had long and valuable experience as an attorney,



FRANK EVANS

prosecuting attorney, and as counsel for various cooperative groups in the West. He has also been active in national farming groups having been secretary and general marketing counsel for the American Farm Bureau, general counsel for the American Farm Bureau Federation, and is the author of two well-known works on the law of cooperative marketing. He has also been prominent as an educator and a legislator, having been Regent of the University of Utah from 1920 to 1923 and a member of the Utah State Senate from 1915 to 1917.

In cooperation with Dr. E. A. Stockdyke, Deputy Governor of the A.A.A. he published in 1937 a book entitled "The Law of Cooperative Marketing." From the publishers foreword to this book the following is quoted:

"The publisher takes pride in presenting this work because of the distinction of the authors in the field of cooperative marketing. Mr. Evans has practiced at the Bar for thirty years and for the past fifteen years has specialized in Co-operative Marketing Law. He is general counsel for a number of cooperative marketing associations operating on a large scale. He was former general counsel of the American Farm Bureau Federation and later a member of the Federal Farm Board. He is the author of The Trend of Judicial Decision in Co-operative Marketing."

Special music for the meeting will be provided by the Chapel Choir of the Latter Day Saints Church in Washington. This group is directed by D. Sterling Wheelwright, formerly Assistant Director of the nationally known Tabernacle Choir in Salt Lake City.

All residents of Greenbelt and their friends who care to attend the meeting are cordially invited to do so. No collection will be taken.



Meditations

by
Robert Lee Kincheloe
Minister to the
Greenbelt Community Church

Having discussed the first two steps in the development of a method of meditation, we may go on to the third which may be termed, Resolution. The resolve to follow out what the reason and emotions affirm to be the answer is the keystone of real devotion. Many, many folk pray and meditate very effectively up to this point then vitiate their well meant efforts by failing to will-into-action what they have considered.

Under this heading we will propose the following suggestions:

1. At this point the emotions and the will should be active. This is not to say that one at a certain moment turns on the faucet of affections. That is too mechanical and unreal. What happens, though, is that the feelings naturally enter into the situation more fully and vitally when a sincere and rational effort has been made to face the facts of the problem or theme.
2. These general rational considerations, discussed last week, now warmed by the emotions should be reduced to the form of definite duties. These are presented, as it were, to the will for acceptance.
3. Then, the crucial moment: "Resolve firmly and reverently, 'I will now undertake to build my life upon that which I have considered and which has been clarified in my meditations.'"
4. Continual vigilance and care must be exerted that the resolution be not cast aside. Once resolving is done, living by it is strictly a matter of individual integrity.

The Church takes this opportunity to express its gratitude to the numerous friends of the Church who responded so graciously to the recent Benefit Play given for the Organ Fund.

If there are any who might have individual contributions to make to this Fund, see Mr. DeJager, Chairman of the Finance Committee, 58 L Crescent Road.

HEBREW CONGREGATION

The Hebrew Congregation held services last Friday night, at 8:30 P.M., in the Music Room of the Elementary School, with Mr. Leon Ellsberg officiating.

The sermon was on the topic of the "Masks of the War Mongers" and was delivered to an attentive audience, which included Mr. and Mrs. Blue of the Community Church who graciously expressed their appreciation of the quality of the services.

Services will be held as usual tomorrow evening at 8:30 P.M. in the Music Room. All are cordially invited to attend.

THIRD WOODMAN

Lyman and Betsy Woodman, 40-E Crescent Road are the happy parents of an 8½ pound son, Kent Lee, born February 15th.

A NEW LAND

It's a boy at the Louis B. Land's. He was born Sunday, February 19, at 11:00 A.M. and tipped the scales at 7 pounds, 6 ounces. Mrs. Shirley Land, Greenbelt's popular dancing instructress is doing very well.

NEW INTERIORS FOR HOMEMAKERS

The Homemakers Club held their monthly meeting, February 13th, at the home of Mrs. May Horstman, 11 D Ridge Road.

The project, "Living Room Arrangement for Family Needs" was presented by Miss Florence Mason, Home Specialist of the Extension Service of the University of Maryland.

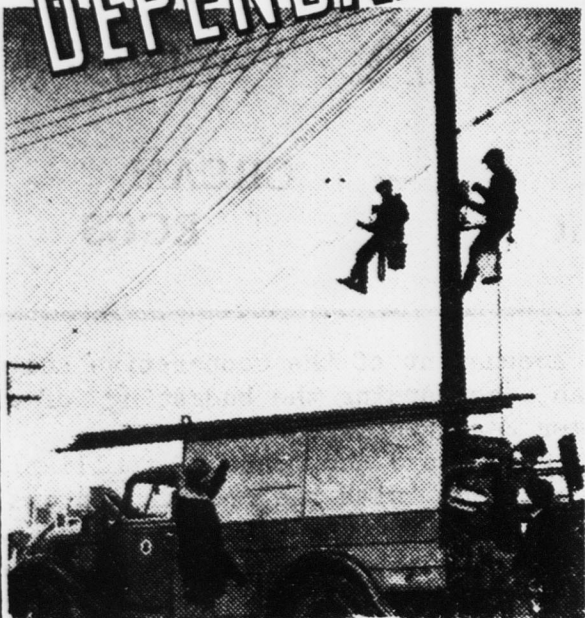
An ideal living room for family needs, she pointed out, is composed of a play area, reading provisions for each member, music area, and sewing and writing area. After the discussion the group learned how they could improve their living rooms.

Guests for the evening were Miss Dorothy Hinton of the University of Maryland and Mrs. D. Dixon of Riverdale, Maryland.

At the close of the meeting our hostess served delicious chocolate and burnt sugar cake, with hot chocolate.

The subject of the next meeting will be "Selection of Slip Cover Materials."

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80,000 WORD THESIS ON GREENBELT COMPLETED

Mr. Cedric Larson, who teaches history in the George Washington High School at Alexandria, Va., has for the past fifteen months been working on a Master of Arts thesis dealing with the history and development of the Greenbelt Community.

This thesis has at length been completed and represents the most exhaustive study yet made of this project. It has been accepted by the Graduate School of the George Washington University and Mr. Larson will receive his Master of Arts degree February 22nd from that institution.

The writer has made innumerable trips to Greenbelt and interviewed and consulted with a large number of residents and officials of the city from time to time. He has received the active cooperation of Mr. Roy S. Braden, and officials of the Farm Security Administration.

The thesis is about 80,000 words in length, including the appendix. Every phase of the city's origin and development has been covered, from federal payments in lieu of taxes to the birth expectancy curve. Much of the material now incorporated in this thesis is novel in character, and has not been assembled before.

Mr. Larson received much help from Mrs. Rose Alpher, Prof. L. S. Dodson, Mrs. Catherine T. Reed, Mr. Robert Kincheloe, Mr. Roland Sliker, Mr. Francis Lastner, Mr. Howard Custer, Mr. A. Chinitz, Mr. Roy Braden and many other Greenbelt residents.

This study on Greenbelt will form an integral part of a book on Greenbelt cities and garden towns which Mr. Larson is to publish this summer. The author is a graduate of Stanford University, Cal. and has lived in Washington since June, 1935.

SECOND COOP INSTITUTE PLANNED "BEFORE AUG. 1"

C.O.C. Invites Health Association and Credit Union to Join in Sponsoring Another Institute Program

A motion presented at the Cooperative Organizing Committee meeting on Friday evening, Feb. 17, by Dr. Linden S. Dodson to the effect that a second Cooperative Institute be held in Greenbelt prior to Aug. 1, and that the Greenbelt Credit Union and Health Association be asked to act with the C.O.C. as sponsors, was passed unanimously at that meeting.

It was indicated that the program would probably be adapted to the season of the year in which it was presented, with outdoor events perhaps playing an important role.

Mr. David Kogan, of the Finance Sub-Committee of the C.O.C., presented the following report on the expenses of the first Cooperative Institute:

Auditorium	\$10.00
Theater (Light, Heat, Salaries)	9.50
Movie Announcement	4.32
Placard	1.25
Distribution of Program-Flier	1.25
Band	3.00
Dinner (Including salaries)	\$34.26
Less Rec'ts: 145 plates @ 20¢	29.00
Net	5.26
Net Expense of Institute	\$34.58

The C.O.C. agreed that as the result of knowledge gained from presenting the first Cooperative Institute, equally varied future programs could cost considerably less.

At this meeting the C.O.C. voted also to prepare a proposed quarterly budget of its expenses, to be presented to the management for its consideration. The proposed budget is now being prepared by Mr. Lester Hayes, of the Finance Sub-Committee of the C.O.C. The preparation of the C.O.C. budget is in keeping with the recommendation of Mr. Louis



Rambling

By George F. Carnes

The height of artlessness: A \$1,620 Government Clerk recounting the high cost of living to a \$1,080 messenger who has a wife and three children.

J. G. Pollard in his book of connotations gives a good definition for intolerance. "A thing," says he, "which never made any contribution to Christianity." Add that to hypocrisy and what do you get? Well, don't look at me.

The wise guys have it that Bob Kincheloe, our Community Church pastor, is getting to be an expert in the art of fencing. In fact, such an expert, that his opponents are raising the cash to bring "Evil Eye", Ben the Fink, out from Washington to put the "hex" on him in his next fencing bout. Personally, I'll use mah ole rabbit foot!

A kind friend tells us that we are too hard on the weaker sex when we criticize their taste in hats. Apologies, Mesdames! Women are the cleverest of them all! They have actually invented something to think about when they are talking among themselves--Knitting! We men are content to -- just talk.

Who was it around this town said: "They can't tax us!" Oh, yes? It must have been that kid who, while standing in open-mouthed wonder gazing at the new school bus, remarked: "Gee! How did Santa get that big automobile down the chimney."

Personal nomination for the biggest sap in town: The man whose ego must be fed by the indignities he heaps upon others, and who thinks that an easy-going nature belongs only to the weak.

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Englander, staff accountant of the Cooperative League Accounting Bureau, concerning the budgeting of all Greenbelt Consumer Services expenses.

The C.O.C. discussed ways and means of familiarizing Greenbelt's citizens with the records and qualifications of candidates for the C.O.C., particularly with reference to the election to be held on March 13. Nominations for the four posts to be filled on March 13 will be received at the next Greenbelt Citizens Association meeting on March 6.

The Theater World.

"THE CITADEL"

An M.G.M. production directed by King Vidor.

Players: Robert Donet
Rosalind Russell
Rex Harrison

Rating: One of the best.

Recommendation: Family picture.

The story of the struggling young medico and his ideals are realistically and powerfully played by the redoubtable Mr. Donet. Here is a story laid in England and Wales done without frippery and fanfare, but so dramatically presented as to leave no doubt as to the quality of the acting involved.

For those in Greenbelt who have felt keenly the struggle for a group health plan, and for sceptics, too, here is a fine portrayal of the trials of the cooperative medical plan both as regards doctor and patient.

By all means see this picture. It is one of the outstanding portrayals of the year. It is not preachy but moves logically from development to development so smoothly and with such finish as to be wholly satisfying artistically.

Rosalind Russell contributes no small part as the young school-teacher wife and research collaborator.

Rex Harrison injects the forthright medical man out to improve the world by force, if need be, and introduces the note of cooperative medicine.

The picture is shot through with dramatic episodes, and even bit parts are skillfully handled.

"COWBOY AND THE LADY"

United Artists Production directed by H. C. Potter.

Players: Gary Cooper
Patsy Kelly
Merle Oberon

Rating: Fair

Here is a combination Park Avenue, rodeo, wild and wooly western with the best features of each omitted.

This is all right if you like to see Gary Cooper or Merle Oberon. But don't take this as a sample of Cooper's best acting, nor for that matter "Marco Polo" either. Either Cooper has hit a period of drought, or else the "Plainsman" was a flare-up. Anyway, you take the Cowboy and the Lady on your own.

FOUNDER'S DAY COMMEMORATED

By PARENT-TEACHERS CEREMONY

A candle light ceremony in commemoration of Founder's Day will be given at the regular monthly meeting of the Greenbelt P.T.A. Monday evening, February 27th at 8:00 P.M. in the school auditorium. This pageant will show the seven objectives of education as ideals of the parent-teacher movement. Taking part will be Mrs. James Albert, President of the P. T. A., Mr. Roy Braden, Town Manager, Mrs. Garrett, Public Health Nurse, Mrs. Harris, Librarian, Mr. Holochwest, Athletic Director, Mrs. D. M. Heinley, Director of the Pageant, Mr. Kincheloe, Minister of the Community Church, and Mrs. C. T. Reed, Principal of the School.

The public is cordially invited. Refreshments will be served.

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Salt o' the Earth

by
Dorothy Salter

The universally accepted ceremony reads, "Until death do us part." At the time of its origin I guess no one could foresee the need of a clause for "College Widows".

That poor neglected species of femininity, whose "betterhalves" have a thirst for knowledge, and therefore, spend all their waking hours quenching it!

Those poor gals whose "Student Prince" sallies forth at 7:30 A.M. to come stumbling in at 9 to 10 or even 11 o'clock at night. Dinner at eight? They can go you three hours better!!

The "little women" who cook, sew and mend for husbands they'd hardly recognize in broad daylight.

Those "lonesome females" who are neither attached nor unattached, whose evenings are spent waiting for hubby to bring home a "B" and who feel noble at the thought that they are doing it for "dear ole' Huxley".

When Grandma was a girl she might not have had a refrigerator, an electric dryer, or even a permanent wave, but she did have a husband she could fuss at and a shoulder to cry on if necessary (or did even Grandpa fall asleep over the evening paper?) Don't disillusion me!! Say not so.

These "widows". You can spot them easily enough. You'll see them in the Drug Store along about 6 o'clock trying to ward off starvation with a coco cola! Or attempting to fill the vacuum with an ice cream cone!

Why?? "I got a woman crazy 'bout me. She's funny that way."

- NEWS -

The Fidelity Class of the Greenbelt Community Church met at the home of Mrs. L. C. Coggin, 41 A Ridge Road, Tuesday night, February 14, for its monthly business meeting and social evening. Mrs. Florence Lewis, 2 J Eastway assisted Mrs. Coggin as hostess for the evening. Refreshments appropriate to the occasion were enjoyed by all.

We're glad to see Mrs. Alpher back at the "helm" again. She's a mighty little person, but mighty important around here!

Mrs. Marjan Waniec was confined to her home at 18 D Parkway, several days last week with a mild attack of grippe. We wonder if she really was sick, or if that was just a ruse to get hubby "Pete" to stay home from work. She's a "college widow" you know. It's doubtful if she remembered what he looked like in broad daylight.

Welcome to Greenbelt, Mrs. and Mr. Williams of 21A Parkway. These newcomers hail from Detroit, Michigan.

Mrs. Hodus of Cleveland, Ohio, is visiting her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Reminick of 3 J Eastway, who have both been ill.

Mrs. Sidney Faulkner and new baby, Ann Louise, returned this week to their home 11 B Ridge Road from Baltimore, where they have been staying with relatives since that young lady's arrival at University Hospital a month ago.

Little Miss Sally Hennessey celebrated her ninth birthday last week with a party at her home 11N Ridge Road. Guests included: Patricia Mark, Barbara Lyles, Ruth Adele Schwab, Katherine Ann Loftus, and Carline Stein. Many happy returns, Sally.



You Ought to Know That

by
Charles J. Spector

The tiny golden frogs of British Guiana are less than three-fourths of an inch in length:::

A famous physician states that intelligent "mother love" rather than misdirected "smother love" is the first requisite in the care of a child:::

Some tin cans carry yellow linings because the enamel thus applied keeps red fruits from bleaching and keeps certain other products from discoloring:::

German workers are being urged to cultivate silkworms in their spare time to help build up a German silk industry:::

Eskimos who build snow houses to sleep in when traveling can work so fast that a little house can be built in about half an hour:::

Tests that are to last 20 years are being made, to see how fence materials stand up under various types of American climatic conditions:::

A Franciscan expedition digging on top of Mount Nebo has found a fourth century Christian church that once stood on a famous Bible site:::

Few insects shed their shells after their wings appear:::

An apple exposed to warmth of 85 degrees Fahrenheit for a single day will lose as much of its keeping quality as it will in three weeks of storage at 32 degrees:::

Thorns, splinters and tiny bones were the first pins used to fasten clothing:::

The Catholic Ladies Club of Greenbelt held a pre-Lenten party in the Social Room, Tuesday night, Feb. 21. Everything was very informal - Mardi Gras style, with a program, games, community singing, prizes, and refreshments. It was for the whole parish and held with the hope of everyone becoming better acquainted.

"Grippe" still has the community in its clutches. Victims this week are: Mr. LeRoy Day and son Darrel of 9 H Ridge Road and the Van Leuven children, Buddy and Darrell of 11 H Ridge Road.

Some more new faces, the Jeffries came to town last Friday and are occupying the house at 4A Hillside recently vacated by the Sidwell's who went "back home" to Kansas City. Welcome!

The "Les Huit" held its regular weekly meeting at the home of Mrs. Margaret Halloman, 34 B Crescent Road, Friday night.

The Thursday Bridge Club met at the home of Mrs. Lloyd Nelson, 45 L Ridge Road, Thursday night. Ladies playing were: Mrs. Barry Steinback, Mrs. Charles Wright, Mrs. Wade Snyder, Mrs. Joseph Long, Mrs. Joseph Lemay, Mrs. Kenneth Doane, Mrs. Edward O'Flaherty, and Mrs. Wells Honeycutt. Prizes were won by Mrs. Doan, high, and Mrs. Snyder, second.

At the close of play Mrs. Nelson served cake with chocolate sauce, ice cream and coffee.

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MAGAZINES PRESENTS ARTICLE BY GREENBELTER ON GREENBELT

Article by Dr. Hugh A. Bone Appears in February Issue of "The American City" - Reprints available at Drug Store

Evidence that Dr. Hugh A. Bone is taking in his stride his weighty duties as President of the Greenbelt Health Association appeared in the form of his article entitled "Greenbelt Faces 1939" in the current issue of "The American City". "The American City" is a widely circulated and authoritative magazine devoted to civic problems, to many of which Greenbelt is intended to be an answer.

Dr. Bone, who resides with his wife at 20 D Crescent Road, is a member of the political science department at the University of Maryland, and is remarkably equipped by professional training to see beneath the surface of Greenbelt's varied and sometimes tumultuous affairs the social forces and social trends which they reflect.

Dr. Bone's article, illustrated with four views of Greenbelt, traces the development of the town since its opening in October, 1937, and indicates the role which various of our groups and clubs have played in that development. It discusses the unique features of Greenbelt, as compared with other suburban towns inside and outside Maryland.

The article concludes with an evaluation of Greenbelt's contributions to its citizens and to the solution of our country's housing problems, and of Greenbelters' contributions to Greenbelt. Dr. Bone points out that one of the problems facing Greenbelt if it is to succeed as an experiment in modern housing is the necessity that its citizens more fully realize its significance, its purpose, and its possibilities.

In order that copies of this article might be available to interested Greenbelters, last Monday the Drug Store ordered 150 copies. It is expected that they will be on hand today. They will cost five cents.

Dirty "Sheets"

The "news article" appearing below was clipped from a Washington newspaper. It is the "umpteenth" exhibit of a scurrilous headline anent Greenbelt which we have come to expect more or less regularly at the hands of the Washington dailies.

This tribute of love strangely enough appeared in the columns of the same newspaper which poured forth its editorial talent at great length in an effort to debunk certain statements of Secretary Ickes in respect to the press.

Perhaps our friends of the "fourth estate" in Washington have neglected their educations. They may have the idea that Greenbelt is a subdivision of Pittsburgh. Perhaps they are gullible enough to believe that washing machines in Greenbelt are not as efficient as those in the Capitol City. At any rate, we hope that prejudice played no part in the reference to the Greenbelt housewives' wash as "Dirty Linen".

If we judge the sensibilities of our townspeople aright such "smear Greenbelt" tactics, although providing some degree of mirth to the loan sharks and real estate grafters from whose clutches the Greenbelter has been liberated, can hardly be expected to benefit circulation, in this town at least, of those newspapers which blithely indulge in such practices.

G.A.W.

ERALD—Around the Clock—SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 18

Greenbelt's Dirty Linen

*It Must Be Off the Line by
4 P. M., the Landlord Rules*

Housewives at Greenbelt had better look to their P's and Q's or they will find themselves in trouble with the law!

The regulation that can eventually lead them before a judge, deals with the hanging of clothes on washday, and the rule regarding this clothes-hanging-business says that clothes should be taken in before 4 o'clock if a housewife wants to stay within the law.

Until now the city ordinance at Greenbelt prohibiting housewives from keeping their wash out later

than 4 o'clock has not been enforced.

But the Farm Security Administration, the landlord of Greenbelt, insists that drying clothes mar the beauty of Greenbelt at sundown, and housewives are out of luck if their wash isn't dry. Perhaps the radiator will finish what the sun and wind couldn't do.

At any rate, Private Yale Hauffman, municipal policeman at Greenbelt, is getting in his automobile these evenings and paying daily calls to the home-makers to give them friendly warning.

COOPERATIVES SAVE CONSUMERS MILLIONS IN PRICE OF GAS
CO-OP "YARDSTICK" SAVES FOR ALL CONSUMERS

(Co-op League News Service)

New York - While cooperatives have saved their own members hundreds of thousands of dollars in the purchase of petroleum products during the last few years, the indirect saving to non-members has run well over \$50,000,000 in three states in the last ten years, according to officials of Farm Bureau and Farmers Union cooperatives.

The Ohio Farm Bureau News for January points out that "it is generally accepted that because of cooperative distribution of these products by Farm Bureau co-ops in Ohio, the price of gasoline off the tank wagon has decreased 2½¢ per gallon or 15%. The total saving for all farmers in the state last year was \$1,900,000."

A similar study made by the North Dakota Farmers Union covering 96 cooperatives over the last ten years reveals that cooperative competition in the petroleum field has reduced the margin on gasoline 5¢ a gallon. Total savings to all gasoline consumers in the states of Montana and North Dakota exceeded \$47,000,000 in ten years.

Letters to Editor

COOPERATIVE ROUND TABLE BROACHED

To the Editor:

We wish to announce through the columns of the Cooperator, if we may, plans for a series of evening discussion groups on the general significance of the Cooperative Movement in Greenbelt and the United States. We feel that the keen interest in the purpose and objective of Cooperatives shown in the recent institute warrants some such an informal effort to discuss at greater length this subject which is fast gaining the interests of depression weary Americans.

The discussion meetings will be held every two weeks in private homes unless the number interested demands a larger space. They will be absolutely free and informal, and are meant only to bring together those who want to discuss and know more about cooperatives in general. Will those interested in developing the discussions please drop a post card to either of us.

Sincerely,

Nat Schein
Henry Little

OBLIGATION

Sir:

The public press did a magnificent job of reporting on the dead Pope. This is a good occasion to goad them and their Non-Catholic readers into investigating their obligation of serving the living Pope.

You get no credit for knowing the Truth. You must follow it. Come on in, where you belong, and bring your Protestant Clergymen and Rabbis with you.

Rev. W. J. Halliwell
Roman Catholic Priest

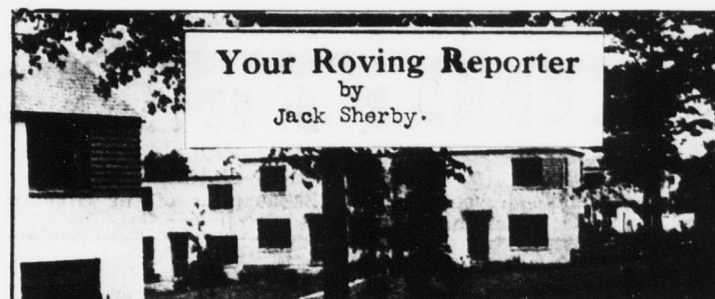
ON RANGES AND RADIOS

The Management office wishes to advise Greenbelt residents that a representative of the Potomac Electric Power Company will be very glad to call at their home at any time to give further instructions in the use of their electric range and to help them solve any difficulties in the cooking of various foods. This service was extended to each new resident as they moved into the Community, but if some were missed or would like additional instructions, we will be only too glad to see that their requests are taken care of promptly.

Electric cooking is the most advanced method of preparing food and we believe that with our present utility rates it can also be an economical method. Therefore, you are requested to use this service in the interest of economy and efficiency.

We would like to call to the attention of all Greenbelt residents that although radios are an important feature in our household entertainment they can also be a terrific nuisance if allowed to get out of control. We have had numerous complaints from time to time about residents who let the radio play too loudly, thus annoying their neighbors who may be trying to sleep or listen to other programs. We, therefore, ask you to please consider that it is important to the general comfort of all of us that we keep in mind this fact and attempt to keep our radio noise within the confines of our own residence.

O. Kline Fulmer
Assistant Manager.



QUESTION:

HAVE YOU HAD BETTER HEALTH IN GREENBELT THAN PREVIOUSLY?

W.A. Selby, 4-C Southway. "We've been pretty healthy generally. There's no doubt though, that Greenbelt is a healthier place than the place we previously lived.....with poor ventilation, no sunlight. A regular alley dwelling you might say, at \$45 per month." Mrs. Selby: "I can tell the difference in the baby.....he certainly seems healthier. In Greenbelt I feel better mentally. I think the mental atmosphere an important angle on the health question."

L.L. Davies, 2-F Southway. "We had our share of bad health before we came here. We haven't had a bit of it since. The heating system here is healthy---in the place we lived last it was hot air heat, which is bad for the lungs. The air in Greenbelt is dryer, it seems to me, than in Washington, and in the houses we have good ventilation without draught. Our boy here had been in the hospital three times with pneumonia, and before we moved here three of us had been in the hospital at almost the same time. All in all Greenbelt is about the cleanest and healthiest place I've lived."

John C. Chase, Jr., 5-C Parkway. "I haven't been sick since I was ten years old. Out here, the air is certainly better and I sleep sounder and have a much better appetite."

J.H. Murphy, 43-D Ridge Rd. "We have had more sickness during the past year. I am sure that Greenbelt is a healthy place to live and account for the fact that our child has had some sickness...colds and chickenpox.....because he has been mixing much more with children out here than heretofore."

Mrs. William Hawthorne, 4-D Hillside. "We have had a good deal of sickness. I had scarlet fever and the baby has bronchial trouble at the present time. His condition had developed before we came here, however. In spite of the sickness we have had we have had better health generally since we came here. My little girl gained ten pounds very quickly. She had been very thin, and friends who visited us could hardly believe she was the same child. It was worth moving to Greenbelt for her alone."

Guy Moore, 27-A Ridge Rd. "With the exception of those few inevitable sicknesses, have had much better health. In the city we weren't exactly cramped, had a yard for the children, etc., but the air out here has given them noticeably better color, and they seem to have grown very fast. Out here they have been immune to measles and the chicken pox."

Robert H. Marack, 6-L Hillside. "We've had considerably less sickness. For the child, all of the opportunities to take advantage of the sunshine without having to worry about clothes: he can go practically without them and get the freedom of the place without having to worry about the roads. He has had much better color in Greenbelt than previously."

MRS. GREENBELT

MOTHER'S CLUB MEETING HELD

Since the organization of the Mother's Club, Parent Education has been its major project and it reached full development Thursday evening when Mrs. Linden Dodson discussed the "Fast changing job of Parent-hood." The three outstanding phases in a child's training were described as "Security, Religious Training and Socialization." Never was so much enthusiasm shown by members for such discussions. Mrs. Dodson said that she felt Greenbelt's newest and best asset was the Club Room for High School boys and girls. She looked forward to the time when they would have a full time trained counselor to help them build the club.

Mr. Wallace Mabee, Chief of Public Safety explained to the mothers the work of his department. He made the point that it was not a Police Department, but a Department to eliminate the necessity of police work, and appealed to the mothers to continue their citizenship training in their home training. Examples were made showing serious cases traced back to lack of training in early childhood and adolescence.

Mrs. O'Brien's piano solo was received most graciously.

During the business session a motion was made and carried to buy Peace Stamps to be sold and used by mothers to denote their approval of the widespread interest in the Peace Movement as outlined by the National Peace Conference held in the Mayflower Hotel some weeks ago.

A Book Review Committee composed of Mrs. C. Henneberger, Mrs. Quigg, and Mrs. Edwards was appointed to arrange a "Book of the Month" listing for interested members.

The Membership Committee reported six new members but with so much illness quite a few "stand-by's" were absent. Mrs. Carl Pearson acted as secretary in Mrs. Roy Bockerts absence.

Plans for future activities were discussed while the members enjoyed light refreshments around the tables arranged by the social committee for the evening. The president presented members with comic heart mints to be carried home to their husbands.

DENTIFRICES AND MOUTH WASHES

A most interesting and educational meeting of Better Buyers Group #13 was held Tuesday, February 14th at the home of Mrs. Russell Kellams, 16 D Crescent Road.

Tea and home-made cookies were served at 2:00 P.M. before the business of the meeting was started.

A report of the visit to Nanny Burroughs, given by Mrs. Kellams, opened the meeting. Plans were discussed for having the interior decorator from Woodward & Lothrop's come to address the group. The meeting was devoted to the study and discussion of dentifrices, mouth washes, and tooth brushes.

With information from the Department of Labor the conclusion was reached that the safest and least expensive tooth powder is that which contains:

MY SPORTS DIARY

Dear Diary:

Boy Oh Boy! and how! You all know by this time that our team played the Y. W. C. A. in a return game last Saturday night. It was very exciting and hot! Excuse me a minute--the men's game is very distracting to say the least. -- Every one on the team played a fine game, especially Johnny Walker, who made a basket very, very often. The Y girls played a very fast game, but we downed them 24-17. The individual score will be printed next week when I can get to the score book.

Our new uniforms arrived in time to play in them and they are really very attractive. But, instead of the zippers as we had planned, we have buttons, and, in my opinion they are just as nice as the zippers, if not better. -- Goodness, Mr. Wurl just catches those balls out of the air as though he were picking cherries. The score is rather depressing, but we are all hoping for the best. --

Tuesday, Jane Hoffman displayed very natural talent for acrobatic stunts. The prettiest of all was the high dive she took over a couple of guards' backs. Grace? Yes! Practice was very promising and as usual, our forwards did a splendid job. Captain Ackerman, Mrs. Allen, Ethel Warner, Johnny Walker, and Jane Hoffman, all were true to form. Woman power plus! As for our guards, we have a fine array of them. Still good (very good) at giving bumps. Ouch! Thursday, we all missed Doris Dungan very much. You all know, of course, that she is very ill, so ill, in fact, that she had to go home to Alexandria to recuperate. ---Confidentially, our score is now 17-18-21-24. We're getting there. -- As I was saying, we went through our regular games, but all of them seemed to have been stuck with a pin. You couldn't have had less fizz, enthusiasm in a week-old open bottle of ginger ale. What the matter was, no one knows. The atmosphere couldn't have been thicker in a London fog. But tonite all was surprisingly bright, and the sun has shone ever since.

As this column is being written at the side-line, please forgive whatever is in it. Until next time I see you all, or you happen to read this jumbled up mess, I'm still

Your Correspondent,

Marjorie Jane Ketcham

- 50 Gm. Hard Soap in fine powder.
- 935 Gm. Precipitated Calcium Carbonate
- 2 Gm. Soluble Saccharin
- 4 cc. Oil of Peppermint.
- 2 cc. Oil of Cinnamon.
- 8 cc. Methyl Salicylate.

This toothpaste is made up by our own druggist and is a special this week at \$0.19 per jar.

The safest and most economical mouth wash is a solution of 2 teaspoons of salt and one quart of lukewarm water.

In the study of toothbrushes, it was found that those with two rows of bristles are the most favorable. The two row C.D. brushes sold for \$0.31 were rated acceptable.

The next meeting will be held Tuesday, February 21st, 2:00 P.M. at 39 A Ridge Road, with Mrs. Sulo Laakso as the hostess.

FRAUD AND RACKETS PROGRAM

The program presented on February 13 by a committee made up of the Better Buyers leaders proved very informative as well as enjoyable to all who were present. Mrs. Raddant acted as chairman for the evening.

Mr. Donald Kane of the National Cooperative Council spoke on the Millard - Tydings Bill. In his address he said that everyone was organized except the consumer. He cited the Fair Trades Law as one which benefited only the manufacturer and the inefficient store proprietor. It was passed through the efforts and pressure of the Retail Druggists, who boast the strongest lobby in the United States, and is now in effect in 43 states. The chain stores first objected to this bill but later arose to meet the situation by projecting their own brands into a ready market and are today profiting from this law.

In the R. H. Macy & Co. Department Store Survey conducted in New York after the law went into effect the following increases in prices were observed: Cosmetics - 9%; Drugs - 16%; Liquors - 12%; Books - 17%; Miscellaneous - 15%. The profits from these items were as follows: Cosmetics - 65%; Drugs - 55%; Liquors - 54%; Books - 70%; Miscellaneous - 63%.

Although Macy's Dept. Store objected to this tremendous increase, the price fixing law gave them no alternative.

The law, Mr. Kane stated, is a god-send to the inefficient druggist who is thereby enabled to make as much profit on a well-known product as his efficient neighbor.

A resolution to the effect that the Better Buyers Clubs of Greenbelt oppose such a law, and recommend that it be repealed, was read by Mrs. Featherby and later passed by the members present.

All present enjoyed singing some well-known songs led by Mrs. Meek.

Mrs. Loftus gave a most interesting report condensed from Consumer's Union on "Shopping in a Department Store." The article stated that 80% of consumers are skeptic of department store advertising and Mrs. Loftus spoke of the different types of advertising the stores used. There are three points which should be known to the consumers.

1. Department Store advertising is standardized.
2. Department Stores imitate previous successful advertisement.
3. Every month in Department Store business is marked by traditional special promotions.

Patricia Featherby gave two very amusing readings, "Grandma's Patchwork Quilt and"Mother's Check Book."

Some useful information, pre-shrinking of fabrics, was given in a report by Mrs. Miller.

Mrs. Muchmore of the Better Business Bureau of Washington spoke on the work of that organization. She stated that there were 57 such agencies in the United States. She stressed the association's motto: "Before you invest - investigate." The public has the privilege of advice on business transactions from the Better Business Bureau. The association is financed by a group of business men who work to set high standards and ethics among legitimate businesses.

SHORT CUTS IN HOUSEWORK

by Madeline Conklyn

TO CLEAN SPINACH

First pick it over carefully, cutting off the roots. Then place in a large pan of warm water and let stand for about 10 minutes. This soaking is necessary only the first time it is washed. Lift the spinach up and down in the water and lift it out of the pan before draining water off as the sand is in

HOMEMAKING

by
Mabel Bessemer

QUICK COFFEE CAKE

2 c. sifted flour	1 egg, well beaten
3 t. baking powder	1 T. butter
1/4 c. sugar	1 T. flour
3/4 t. salt	2 T. brown sugar
1/4 c. shortening	1/2 t. cinnamon
1/4 cake compressed yeast	2 T. nuts, chopped
3/4 c. milk	

Sift flour with baking powder, sugar and salt. Cut in shortening until mixture is as fine as corn meal. Crumble yeast into milk and stir until dissolved. Add beaten egg. Add to flour mixture and mix well. Spread dough in 8 x 8 pan greased with shortening. Let stand 30 minutes. Melt butter and brown. Mix thoroughly with remaining ingredients. Sprinkle over dough and bake in moderately hot oven (375 degrees F.) 30 to 40 minutes.

The small amount of yeast makes this quick coffee cake different. You'll like its better flavor.

EASY ROLLS

2 cakes compressed yeast	2 t. salt
1/4 c. lukewarm water	2 T. sugar
1 t. sugar	1 c. scalded milk
1/3 c. shortening	3/4 c. water
4 c. sifted flour	

Crumble yeast into small bowl. Add lukewarm water and 1 t. sugar and set in warm place until it becomes light and spongy (about 15 minutes). Combine shortening, salt and 2 T. sugar in large bowl and add scalded milk and water. Stir until shortening is melted and cool until lukewarm. Add yeast mixture. Add flour gradually, mixing thoroughly. Cover and let rise in warm place about one hour or until light and spongy. Stir down and let rise again until very light (about 1/2 hour). Drop dough from spoon into greased muffin pans and let rise in warm place until light (about 15 minutes.) Makes 2 dozen.

BUTTERSCOTCH BREAD

2 c. flour	1 egg
1/2 t. baking powder	1 c. brown sugar
3/4 t. baking soda	1 T. melted shortening
1/4 t. salt	
1 c. sour milk or buttermilk	
1/2 c. chopped walnuts	

Sift flour, baking powder, soda and salt. Beat egg, add brown sugar and melted shortening. Add dry ingredients to egg mixture, alternately with milk. Add walnuts. Pour mixture into greased loaf pan (about 11 1/2 x 4 1/2 x 3 in.) and let stand for 20 minutes. Bake in moderate oven (350 F.) about 45 minutes.

MY RADIO

by
Madeline Conklyn

Have you ever listened to Hymns of all Churches? These hymns are heard over WRC at 2:45 on Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.

The program is made up of hymns of all churches as the name implies and whether Protestant, Jewish or Catholic you are sure to hear some familiar hymn that appeals to you. The choir is well matched and the songs it brings the public have all the beauty and reverence due them. Negro spirituals are also sung with the simple faith and unique individualism of the race.

Why not enjoy this program while resting in the afternoon?

the bottom. Two more washings done in this manner will make absolutely certain that every particle of grit has been removed.

SPORTS SPATTERINGS...by Cliff Cockill

A large squad of candidates for the newly organized Greenbelt Kite Flying Team were put through a strenuous workout last Sunday, and from all indications the boys appear to be in tip-top shape for the opening contest, which will be waged against a strong aggregation from St. Elizabeth's Hospital.The local string winders' spirits were considerably brightened with the return of their erstwhile captain, Leon Widger, who left a sick bed to lead his boys into action.....Widge, who has flown kites with the best of them, will strengthen the team's offense materially.....Among other aspirants for positions, who looked good in the workout, are such stalwarts as George Bradford, Arthur Plackett, Sherrod East, Bill Shoeb, Sr., George Carnes, Sr., Mahlon Eshbaugh, Sr., and Doc McCarl.....Bradford, who played ping pong during the winter months to strengthen his arms looks like the find of the season...His form is remarkable considering his lack of experience...When last seen, which was about 2:00 A.M. Monday, George was still winding away bringing his streamlined job to the ground..(I wonder if he's got it in yet).....During the practice session Widge took Art Plackett under his wing and explained to him the intricate system used in bringing a stubborn kite out of a nose dive.....Sherrod East is doing a good job despite the fact that left-handed kitesters are at a great disadvantage.....East narrowly escaped serious injury when he fell while trying to dislodge his hawk-like special from a tree..Mahlon Eshbaugh, Sr., reported that culprits in Dover, Delaware, riddled his kite with buckshot during his trial flight.....A yanker from the old school, Doc McCarl, showed uncanny ability with the string, as well as the forceps...Although it is reported that St. Elizabeths had a number of scouts among the large crowd who witnessed the scrimmage, we doubt whether they were able to learn a great deal about our team's flying skill as the boys kept under wraps, so to speak....After all there's no sense in catching cold this time of the year....Anyhow it looks like Greenbelt has another winner, so give them your support-or any old string you have around the house.....

FLASH!!! We have just been informed that a group of Greenbelt youngsters including Eshbaugh, Jr., Schoeb, Jr., and Carnes, Jr., have sworn out warrants for the arrest of their fathers on the grounds of purchasing kites under false pretense.....What's this younger generation coming to.....no sense of gratitude whatsoever...Besides, whoever heard of a father buying a kite for his kid....Why they might be carried away.....It takes strong arms and some amount of scientific skill, which can only be acquired with age.....to fly a kite..You kids stick to your dolls and mud pies.....

BOY'S CLUB TO ENTER TRACK MEET

The Greenbelt Boy's Club will be represented by a relay team and possibly a few individual performers at the coming annual indoor track meet, which will be held at Catholic University, March 4th.

2 $\frac{1}{2}$ % DIVIDEND FROM GREENHILLS CREDIT UNION

The Greenhills, Ohio Credit Union voted a 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ % dividend at its first annual meeting, January 19.

Only six months old, the Credit Union has received \$3,362.88 in shares and has outstanding loans of \$3,210.85.

BOWLING LEAGUE NEWS

One of the most exciting bowling games ever witnessed anywhere was furnished by the Cobras last Saturday when they defeated the league-leading Beavers two to one. The stir was caused in the last frame of the last game in which the Cobras came through in a decidedly Dick Merriwell fashion. Here are the details: Trailing by 33 pins in a rather listless game, Spector started the proceedings in the last box by tossing a strike, counting 8. Taking the cue "Curley" Markfield and Marvin Wofsey repeated the performance, counting 9 and 7 pins, respectively. Jack Cain fell in with the scheme and spared and garnered a nine-pin count. This spirited rally ultimately proved sufficient to warrant a win by a decisive margin. On the strength of this victory, the Cobras gained a game on both the Beavers and Drakes and are now but two games removed from second place and five from first place.

All along the line there was action galore: for instance, the neat whitewashing on the Alligators done by none other than our erstwhile groggy Bears. That this clean sweep proved to be a cogent factor is indicated by the fact that there now exists a condition wherein the infinitesimal margin of one game between the Bears, Eagles and Jeeps separate the teams in the hectic battle for sixth place.

The Eagles and Jeeps, far from being the set-ups of recent weeks, won their odd games, the latter from the up-and-down Cardinals.

(Notice: Due to the unsettled weather and foreign situation in Europe, and also due to a severe case of falling dandruff suffered by one of the vicious perpetrators of the Thumbnail Sketches, there will be a week's lull in the bombardment of the bowlers. Excuse, please.)

	WON	LOST
Beavers	41	19
Drakes	38	22
Cobras	36	24
Cardinals	31	29
Alligators	26	34
Eagles	23	37
Jeeps	23	37
Bears	22	38
High Team Sets	-Beavers, 1,573; Drakes, 1,565; Cobras, 1,517.	
High Team Games	-Beavers, 564; Drakes, 552; Cobras, 539	
High Individual Averages	-Temple (Beavers), 116-20; DeJager (Drakes), 104-14; MacEwen (Beavers), 103-40.	
High Individual Sets	-Meek (Drakes), 387; Temple (Beavers), 383; DeJager (Drakes), 354.	
High Individual Games	-MacEwen (Beavers), 142; Temple (Beavers), Brown (Drakes), 140.	
High Individual Strikes	-Temple (Beavers), 28; Brown (Drakes), 24; Lastner (Cobras) 22.	
High Individual Spares	-Temple (Beavers), 160; DeJager (Drakes), 115; Brown (Drakes), 106.	

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GREENBELT BASKETBALL LEAGUE

The Greenbelt Basketball League swung into action last Friday night for the final round of competition in the current series. A large crowd saw four well-played games.

In the first game, undefeated Carnegie suffered their first defeat at the hands of a fast hard-playing Eton team with the score of 45 to 24. The combination of Marack, McDonald and Bozek was too good for their G.A.C. team mates Cain, Abrahams and Giersch. High score honors in this game go to McDonald of Eton who tallied 17 points.

In the second game, a slow affair, an up-and-coming Dartmouth team took the measure of Bucknell 26 to 15. With this defeat, Bucknell has suffered seven straight losses in this series, and failed to win one. Dartmouth took the lead 10 to 3 in the first five minutes of play, and were never headed, holding Bucknell scoreless in the second quarter. High man in this game was Cockill who garnered 10 points for Dartmouth.

The two "J" block teams hooked up in the third game, and with a chance to tie Carnegie for the lead, Joliet missed by one point, being defeated by Juniata by the close score of 20 to 19. It was nip and tuck all the way, and anybody's game right down to the whistle. Outstanding in this game were Devoe and Risley for Juniata and Barker and Taylor for Joliet, Barker being high man with 8 points.

In the last game, Brown and Columbia fought it out in a rough and tumble game, Brown finally winning out by the score of 24 to 16. In this game Johnstone's spirited play kept his team to top and stopped many a Columbia rally. Johnstone was also high man with 10 points.

J.C.M.

TEAM	FINAL STANDING		
	WON	LOST	PCT.
Carnegie	6	1	.857
Brown	5	2	.714
Joliet	5	2	.714
Dartmouth	4	3	.570
Columbia	3	4	.428
Juniata	3	4	.428
Eton	2	5	.285
Bucknell	0	7	.000

BOX SCORE									
CARNEGIE					ETON				
POS	G	F	PTS		POS	G	F	PTS	
Cain	F	4	1	9	Marack	F	3	1	7
Abrahams	F	3	1	7	McDonald	F	8	1	17
Dickhaut	C	0	0	0	Culliney	C	5	0	10
Bradley	C	2	0	4	Bozek	G	3	1	7
Williams	G	0	0	0	Stark	G	0	0	0
Giersch	G	1	2	4	Donahue	G	2	0	4
Totals		10	4	24			21	3	45

DARTMOUTH					BUCKNELL				
POS	G	F	PTS		POS	G	F	PTS	
Eisenbaugh	F	0	0	0	Picket	F	0	0	0
Cockill	F	5	0	10	Trumbule	F	2	1	5
Peeler	C	3	0	6	Shultz	C	0	1	1
Resnick	G	3	0	6	Fockler	G	1	0	2
Brennon	G	0	0	0	Blanchard	G	3	1	7
Bauer	G	2	0	4	Sanders	G	0	0	0
Totals		13	0	26			6	3	15

JUNIATA					JOLIET				
POS	G	F	PTS		POS	G	F	PTS	
Sheets	F	1	0	2	Messner	F	1	0	2
Devoe	F	2	0	4	Taylor	F	2	0	4
Conklyn	F	1	0	2	Chapman	F	0	0	0
Risley	C	3	0	6	Henes	F	0	0	0
Rosenthal	G	2	0	4	Barker	C	4	0	8
Goldfadden	G	1	0	2	Holochwest	G	1	0	2
Fisher	G	0	0	0	Gebhart	G	1	1	3
Totals		10	0	20			9	1	19



Pokes & Jabs

John Martone

The latest and most promising among the heavy-weight contenders is Lou Nova, the composite Irish, German and Italian boy from the West Coast. Several months ago Nova in his first major fight at Madison Square Garden badly defeated the Welch shock-absorber Tommy Farr. Despite the fact that Nova came nearer to scoring a knockout over Tommy Farr than either Joe Louis, Max Baer and Jimmy Braddock and shows promise of developing into a good fighter, it is doubtful if he could ever beat Joe Louis.

The present champion hits with the speed and power of a piston and carries too many guns for a beginner like Lou Nova. In toe-to-toe slugging, however, the Brown Bomber becomes confused and leaves himself open, gives ground and is slow to formulate counter tactics.

Joe Louis will be beaten in much the same manner that former champions have been beaten. At the present time there is no one who could make Joe Louis work up an honest sweat and give the fight fans more than ten percent return on money spent to witness a fight.

Lou Nova has youth and speed, has been well tutored in the science of prize-fighting, but lacks hitting power and is not by at least two years seasoned enough to assimilate the powerful blows that sizzle from the gloves of the champion.

The man who will some day give Joe Louis a man-size drubbing will have to be a combination of Dempsey and Tunney (mostly Dempsey). Nova fills only one-half of the requirements for whipping Joe Louis. The young man from the Gold Coast distinctly favors the late champion Gene Tunney.

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BROWN					COLUMBIA				
POS	G	F	PTS		POS	G	F	PTS	
Peterson	F	3	0	6	Keagle	F	3	0	6
Heaton	F	0	2	2	Trattler	F	0	0	0
Dunbar	C	1	0	2	Helfand	F	1	0	2
Johnstone	G	5	0	10	O'Flaherty	C	2	0	4
Neale	G	0	0	0	Neblett	G	1	0	2
Jones	G	2	0	4	Lastner	G	1	0	2
Sanchez	G	0	0	0	Weinerman	G	0	0	0
Totals		11	2	24			8	0	16

Health Ass'n. Gathers For Financial Report Tonight

The Health Association will meet tonight at 8:00 P.M. in the Social Room to discuss matters of vital importance to the Association.

Reports will be presented covering activities of the Board subsequent to the last membership meeting as well as a financial report of operations for the past year.

ORGANIZED LABOR TO DISCUSS CONSUMER ORGANIZATION AT MIDWEST CONFERENCE - OHL, BAKER, BOWEN TO TALK AT RACINE CONFERENCE ON LABOR AND COOPERATIVES (Co-op League News Service)

Racine, Wisc. - Organized labor in the middle west faced with the problem of cutting the cost of living, will send representatives here February 24, 25 and 26 to discuss the possibilities of increasing their buying power by organizing as consumers.

Organized labor in Racine has taken the lead in organizing one of the most successful city cooperatives in the United States. Delegates will not only discuss ways of cutting the cost of living but will also visit the cooperative grocery store and meat market, co-op gasoline stations, coal yard, appliance shop and credit union to see first hand the results of consumer action.

The conference, which will be under the auspices of The Cooperative League of the U.S.A., will be opened Friday evening by Henry Ohl, Jr. president of the Wisconsin Federation of Labor, representing the American Federation of Labor and Jacob Baker, president of the United Federal Workers of the Congress of Industrial Organizations, who will both discuss "Organized Labor and Consumer Cooperation". Mr. Ohl will talk on why labor needs consumer cooperation and the relationships of the two movements. Mr. Baker will describe the success of the cooperatives in the democratic countries of Europe which he visited as chairman of President Roosevelt's Inquiry on Cooperative Enterprise in Europe.

James Myers, Industrial Secretary of the Federal Council of Churches, will close the conference Sunday morning with a talk on the "Ideals and Practices of the Labor and Cooperative Movements." A similar conference at Dillonvale, Ohio, last fall drew together 160 labor and cooperative leaders in Ohio, Indiana and Western Pennsylvania.

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A STATEMENT BY THE CREDIT UNION

To the Editor:

We believe our first years' operation can be called successful. If you are a member and need money for provident purposes, see the Credit Committee which meets each Friday evening in the meeting room over the drug store. We have money to loan to members and every consideration will be given your application. If you are not a member, don't wait until you need to borrow money before applying for membership. Get a membership card from George Hodsdon who will be found in the office over the drug store any time during the day. He will be glad to explain how our credit union can benefit you as well as your membership benefit the people in the community. The credit union office is open every Friday evening and the evening of each Government pay day.

Fred Wilde,
President.

BRITISH CO-OPS MAY COMPETE WITH WOOLWORTH'S FOR "BAZAAR" TRADE

(Co-op League News Service)

Manchester, England - The British cooperatives have long stood idly by while Woolworth's and other limited price variety stores "skimmed the cream" from the "Bazaar" and novelty trade. Woolworth's recently declared a 50% dividend on its 1938 trade.

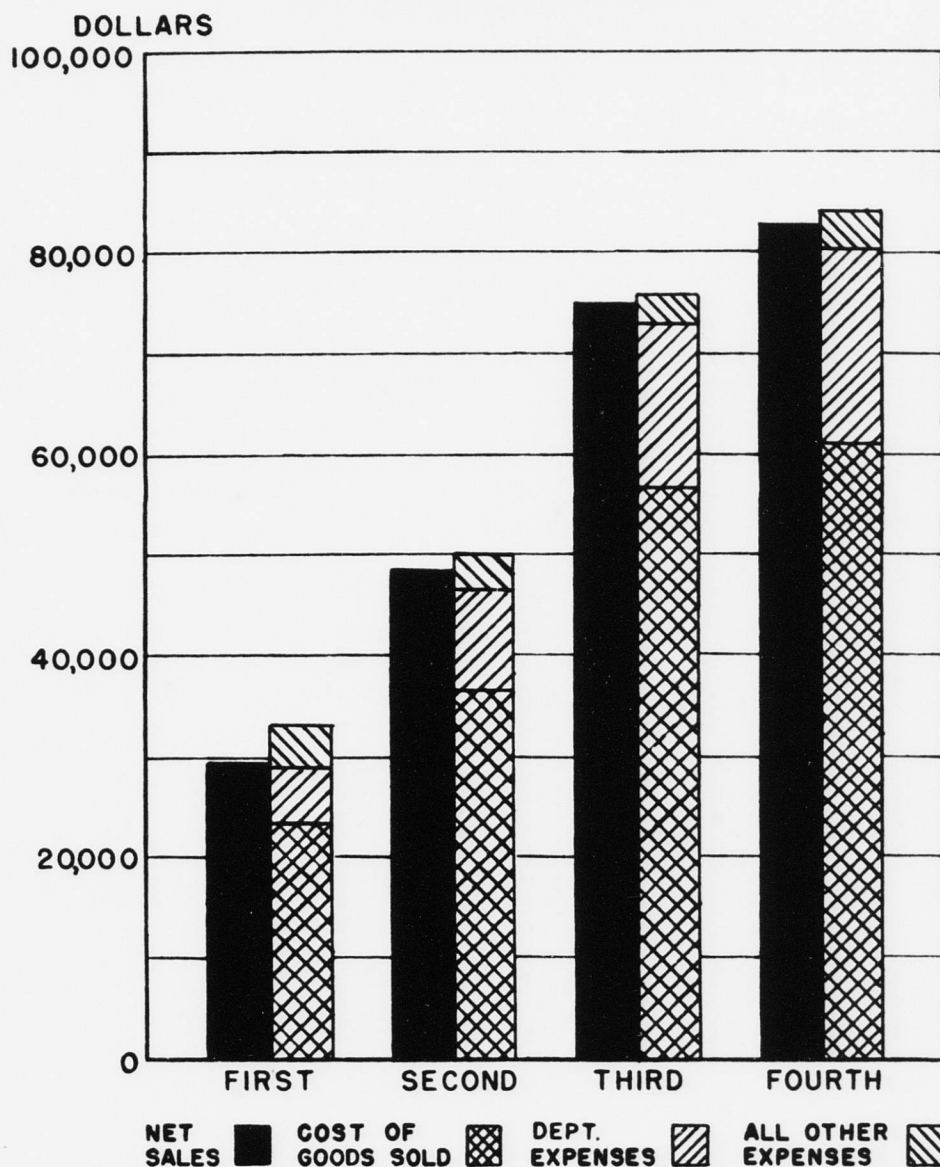
But things will be different if a proposal presented to the board of the Cooperative Wholesale Society is accepted. According to the plan under consideration the co-op wholesale will open a series of limited price variety stores to bring back to the cooperatives part of this very lucrative trade.

SOCIAL NOTES

On Saturday evening, February 4, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wilde of 2-A Northway, entertained Mr. and Mrs. George Barr, Mr. and Mrs. William Neblett, Mr. and Mrs. Cleo Harris, Mr. and Mrs. Ed. Thornhill of Greenbelt, and Miss Miriam Cook of Scarsdale, New York.

Miss Cook has been visiting in Greenbelt for several days. The game of "Tripoli" was played and when scores were tallied it was found that the prizes had been won by Mrs. Ed. Thornhill and Mr. William Neblett. Miss Phyllis Barr and Miss Janet Wilde, two of the younger High School set in town, assisted in the serving of refreshments. The party was conducted in connection with a series of such parties being given by members of our Community Church to further good fellowship among the members, as well as serve as a means of raising money for the "Organ" fund.

INCOME AND OUTGO OF THE GREENBELT CONSUMER SERVICES, INC. BY QUARTERS, 1938



SOURCE: GREENBELT CONSUMER SERVICES, INC.

	FIRST		SECOND		THIRD		FOURTH		
		%		%		%		%	
NET SALES	29,317	100.0	48,513	100.0	74,921	100.0	82,685	100.0	10.4
COST OF									
GOODS SOLD	23,418	79.9	36,647	75.5	56,678	75.6	60,969	73.8	7.6
GROSS MARGIN	5,899	20.1	11,866	24.5	18,243	24.4	21,716	26.2	19.0
DEPT. EXPENSES	5,454	18.6	9,878	20.4	16,145	21.6	19,221	23.2	19.1
DEPT. MARGIN	445	1.5	1,988	4.1	2,098	2.8	2,495	3.0	18.9
ALL OTHER									
EXPENSES	3,336	11.4	3,358	6.9	3,135	4.2	3,824	4.6	22.0
NET GAIN	*2,891	*9.9	*1,370	*2.8	*1,037	*1.4	*1,329	*1.6	28.2
*LOSS									

The above tabulation is a condensed profit and loss statement in quarterly periods of the year 1938, of the total business of all the stores in Greenbelt food store, service station, drug store, barber shop and theatre. In order that it may be understood more fully, definitions of some of the terms that appear therein, follow.

First, the "cost of goods sold" consists only of the net purchase price which Greenbelt Consumer Services, Inc. paid for the merchandise, plus the cost of shipping the goods. "Gross profit" is the difference between the net sales and the cost of the goods sold during the period. "Departmental expenses" are those expenses which were directly incurred in the operation of each store. They comprise the salaries of the sales clerks, rents, depreciation of equipment, store supplies, electricity, water, etc., of each store. They are the expenses for which the manager of each store are responsible. "Departmental profit" is the difference between the gross profit and the departmental expenses. "All other expenses" consist of expenses that are indirect, i.e., that are not attributable

to any one store. For example, the salary of the accountant who does the accounting for all the stores, legal fees, operation of the station wagon, books, subscriptions, office supplies, travel, depreciation of office equipment, etc. "Net profit" is the difference between the departmental profit and all other expenses.

The percentages of sales may be thought of as parts of a dollar. For example, out of each dollar that was spent in the Greenbelt stores as a whole, for a year, \$0.245 represents a gross profit, \$0.215 direct expenses, leaving \$0.03 for a departmental profit out of which must be deducted all other expenses of \$0.058, resulting in a loss of \$0.028 on a dollar.

GREENDALE VOTES ON CITY MANAGER PLAN

Residents of Greendale, Wisconsin, will vote on a Village Manager Plan for their town at a special election, February 25.

The plan was submitted to the present Board of Trustees on a referendum petition signed by about 200 residents. The Board rejected the plan 5 to 2 making necessary the special election.

Greendale's action seems to follow that of Greenbelt, which adopted the first City Manager Plan in Maryland.

WALKER WRITES ON HOUSING

Major John O. Walker, Director of the Resettlement Division of the Farm Security Administration is author of a series of three articles now running monthly in the magazine, "Shelter," published in New York.

In the December 1938 issue, the City of Greenbelt, Maryland, was featured, with several illustrations. The January 1939 issue carries an article on Greendale, Wisconsin, also profusely illustrated. The February 1939 issue will be dedicated to Greenhills, Ohio.

This trio of articles is filled with statistical data on the towns, and many pictures of town sites, scenes, and the like.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

This week seems a week of losses to Greenbelt. Leaving Greenbelt are:

Robert McMartin, 14 K Parkway.
Max P. Hayes, 27 B. Ridge Road.
B. B. Klima, 2 B Gardenway.
Eileen H. Kelly, 12 E Parkway.

Against these losses we can count Dr. Samuel Berenberg who has moved into 7 Woodland Way.

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Calendar Of Events -

Thursday, February 23

Orchestra Practice	7:30 P.M.	Music Room
Hobby Club	7:30 P.M.	Work Shop
Women's Gym	8:00 P.M.	Auditorium
Commercial Courses	7-10:00 P.M.	High School
Industrial Courses	7-10:00 P.M.	High School
L. D. S. Relief Society	8:00 P.M.	37-A Ridge Rd.
Adult Art	8:00 P.M.	Rooms 223, 225
Greenbelt Players	8:00 P.M.	Economics Room
Health Association	8:00 P.M.	Social Room
Democratic Club	8:00 P.M.	23 G Ridge Rd.

Friday, February 24

Girl Scout Brownies		
Pack #5	4:00 P.M.	3 B Eastway
Credit Union	6:30-8:30 P.M.	Meeting Room
C.O.C.	6:30-8:30 P.M.	Meeting Room
Accounting	7:00-9:00 P.M.	Room 225
Boy Scouts	7:30 P.M.	Social Room
Radio Club	7:30 P.M.	Room 223
Men's Gym	8:00 P.M.	Auditorium
Hebrew Congregation	8:30 P.M.	Music Room

Saturday, February 25

Children's Gym	9:00 A.M.	Auditorium
" Art Class	10:00 A.M.	Social Room
Adult " "	2:00 P.M.	48 Crescent Rd.
Greenbelt Bowling League	3:00 P.M.	Hyattsville

Sunday, February 26

Mass	9:00 A.M.	Theater
Community Sunday School	9:30 A.M.	Auditorium
" Church	11:00 A.M.	Auditorium
Music Hour	5:00 P.M.	Theater
Young People's Society	6:30 P.M.	Social Room
L.D. Saint's Church	8:00 P.M.	Social Room

Monday, February 27

Political Problems	7:00-9:00 P.M.	20 D Crescent
Advanced Dressmaking	8:00 P.M.	Economics Room
Parent-Teachers' Meeting	8:00 P.M.	Auditorium
Town Council	8:00 P.M.	Council Room

Tuesday, February 28

Girl Scout Troop #17	3:15 P.M.	Social Room
Women's Basketball	6:30 P.M.	Auditorium
Credit Union	6:30-8:30 P.M.	Meeting Room
C.O.C.	6:30-8:30 P.M.	Meeting Room
Commercial Courses	7:00-10:00 P.M.	High School
Industrial Courses	7:00-10:00 P.M.	High School
Men's Gym	8:00 P.M.	Auditorium
Adult Art	8:00 P.M.	Rooms 223, 225
Bridge Club	8:00 P.M.	Social Room
Dressmaking	2:00 P.M.	Economics Room
Nutrition	8:00 P.M.	Economics Room
Welfare Committee	8:00 P.M.	Music Room

Wednesday, March 1

Art Class	2:00 P.M.	48 Crescent Rd.
Senior Girl Scouts	7:30 P.M.	2 H Gardenway
Junior Choir	8:00 P.M.	Music Room
Community Choir	9:00 P.M.	Music Room
Beginner's Dressmaking	8:00 P.M.	Economics Room
Pre-School Mothers Club	8:00 P.M.	Social Room
Basket Ball	8:00 P.M.	Auditorium

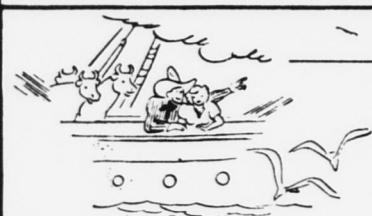
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 Wednesday.....10-12
 Thursday.....10-12; 4-6
 Friday.....10-12; 7:30-8:30
 Saturday.....10-12; 5-6
 Sunday.....By appointment

Dr. McCarl's (Dentist) Office Hours
 Dr. McCarl's office hours are as follows:
 Monday.....9:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.
 Tuesday.....9:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.
 7:00 - 9:30 P.M.
 Wednesday.....Closed
 Thursday.....9:30 A.M. - 6:00 P.M.
 Friday.....9:30 A.M. - 5:00 P.M.
 7:00 - 9:30 P.M.
 Saturday.....2:00 P.M. - 6:00 P.M.
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RADIO CLUB

The Radio Club met in Room 223 in the School last Friday for its regular radio theory session. A discussion of VOLTAGE DIVIDERS was followed by the application of the theory to a circuit and finally by the analyses of a standard 5-tube radio circuit design. Rosenzweig, Murray, and Petersen gave blackboard demonstrations on the various circuits.

The session was a highly enthusiastic one as everyone had ideas and refused to be scared away by the passage of time. "Prof" Reno spent 2½ hours on his feet explaining theory and getting down the fine points.

The next session to be held in the same place, next Friday night, at 7:30 P.M., will be devoted to a discussion of "Screens and Grids in Relation to Power Supply". All those who may be interested in this work are invited to attend.

The turnout for the last session included Petersen, Reno, Hyman, Morgan, Wood, Reno, Jr., Johnston, McDonald, Murray and Rosenzweig.

CO-OPS DIVERSIFIED MANUFACTURERS

A list of the lines of goods and services offered by Wholesale Cooperative Associations in the United States in 1937 makes rather interesting reading. The goods handled by the wholesale range from women's clothing to service station equipment. Petroleum products seem to be handled by all the wholesales listed in the study made by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. Women's clothing, household goods, and electrical appliances were the most popular additions during the year 1937. The services supplied are usually: educational, auditing, insurance, printing, and burial.

The goods manufactured by these wholesales are not confined to feed, lubricating oils, and fertilizer. One wholesale makes Coop sausage and butter; another, bakery goods and roast coffee while still others manufacture wagon boxes, paint, and fly-spray.

When the 1938 report of cooperative wholesales is made it will be of interest to note the new goods and services that perhaps were added. If Americans continue increasing the amounts spent for services the cooperatives should go into those fields with increased vigor. If the cost of services of beauticians, barbers, morticians, doctors remain relatively high, the cooperative associations will undoubtedly begin supplying those services.

BRIDGE NEWS

The "Duplicate Club" held its weekly meeting Tuesday, February 14, in the Manual Training Room of the School. Eighteen people were present. The law of averages asserted itself and the cards, in the main, presented problems in when to stop bidding. Mr. Pinckney and Mr. Lieberman were tops for the night with 31 match points out of a possible 48, a remarkable score considering the temperaments of the victors coupled with the mediocrity of the cards. The first four finished in the following order:

	Match	Points	Hndp.	Total
1. Mr. Pinckney & Mr. Lieberman	31	2%-	.96	30.04
2. Mrs. Green & Mrs. Havens	30	5%-	2.40	27.60
3. Mrs. Mathers & Mr. Gray	29	6%-	2.88	26.12
4. Mrs. Neblett & Mr. Emery	26.5	3%-	1.44	25.06

The "Club" meets every Tuesday evening at 8:00 P.M., in the school. All are invited to come and play.

GREENDALE CITIZEN'S ASSOCIATION ELECTS

The Citizen's Association of Greendale, Wisconsin, elected its first officers January 21.

The new officers are: Lee Sowin, President; Clem Donnelly, Vice-President; Raymond Miller, Recording Secretary; Mrs. Dan Molthen, Corresponding Secretary; and Everett Trudell, Treasurer.

The new association will meet regularly the last Monday in each month.

UNIQUE PAYMENT PLAN BY GREENDALE CO-OP

Directors of the Greendale Cooperative Association adopted a payment plan for shares in the Association at a meeting on January 9.

Cards will be issued to share-holders which can be punched out in units as small as 25¢. Payments can be made and recorded when making purchases at any of the cooperative stores.

This plan is intended to make participation in the Greendale Cooperatives both easy and painless.

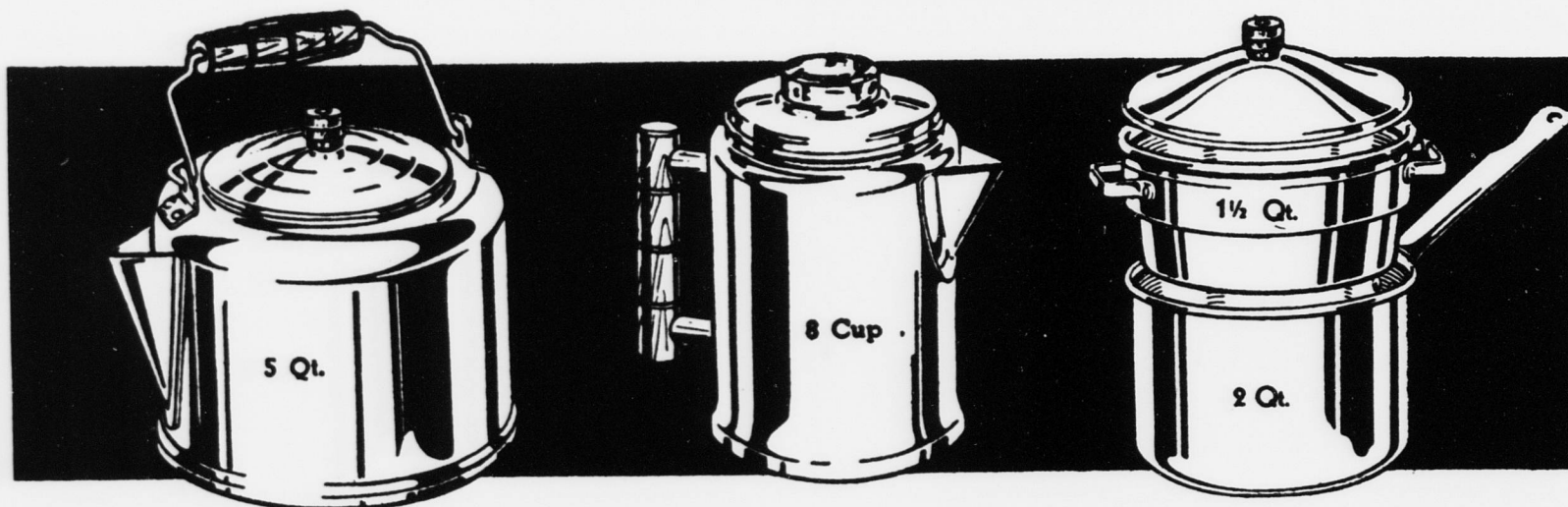
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